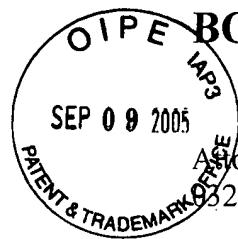


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Sir:

A response to the Office Action dated July 6, 2005 is due by October 6, 2005. Please accept this Request for Reconsideration as timely filed and fully responsive.

REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application, and reconsideration of the Office Action dated July 6, 2005. Upon entry of this Amendment, claims 1, 3-12, 14, 15, and 17-25 will remain pending.